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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS WASHINGTON, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the outstanding Office Action dated May 27, 1998, and in accordance with Rule 111 of the Rules of Practice, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

Applicant also submits concurrently herewith a Petition for Extension of Time for three months, to and including November 27, 1998, accompanied by the required fee.

Please amend the above-identified Application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claims 11 and 14 without prejudice.

Please amend the Claims as follows: